PUBLIC WORKS.

NOTIFICATION.

No 71

The 21st September 1875.

B. Gangadhara Rao, Sub-Surveyor, Tank Division, is granted three months' leave, on medical certificate, with effect from the 14th July 1875.

II. The two months' privilege leave granted him in Notification dated 26th July 1875 is hereby cancelled.

"By Order,"
W. Chrystie, Major, R. E.,
Offg. Under-Secy., P. W. D.

Notifications by the Chief Commissioner of Evorg.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 19.

The 23rd September 1875.

Major A. G. D. Logan resumed charge of the Court of the 1st Assistant Superintendent of Coorg from Mr. V. N. Narsimmalengar on the evening of the 9th September 1875.

"By Order,"
T. CLARKE,
Offg. Secretary.

Notifications, &c., by the Government of India.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

ACCOUNTS.

Simla, the 16th September 1875.

No. 3211.

READ again—

No. 336, dated 27th January 1875.

From—The Hon'ble F. S. Chapman, Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bombay. To--The Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department.

Under Section 11 of Act XX of 1864, a Civil Court may appoint a Collector to take charge of a minor's landed estate. Recently this Government, on a reference made to it, decided that the moneys received by the Collector might be invested by him for the benefit of the minor, and that it need not necessarily pass through the public accounts. This is, it is believed, the usual custom throughout India. The Accountant General has now suggested that the Government of India's Resolution in the Financial Department, No. 14624 of the 10th December 1861, which directs that "all transactions to which officers of Government are, in their official character, parties, must, in future, without any reservation, be brought to account and the money deposited in the Government treasuries," renders this course improper. This Government believes that the Resolution referred to, which was meant to put a stop to the practice of keeping separate departmental funds, has never been applied to the case of minor's estates, as it

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would obviously involve inconvenience and loss of interest on his money to the minor. The terms of that Resolution are, however, so wide, that it is considered desirable to bring to the Government of India's notice the orders which this Government have recently passed.

Endorsed by the Home Department, No. 210, dated 10th February 1875.

Transferred to the Financial Department for disposal, with reference to their Resolution No. 14624 of the 10th December 1861.

From R. B. Chapman, Esq., Secretary to the Government of India, Financial Department, To the Chief Secretary to the Government of Bombay, No. 1872, dated 30th June 1875.

In reply to your letter to the Hame Department, No. 306, dated 27th January 1875, I am directed to state that the Governor General in Council considers that a Collector should not have two purses or cash balances in his treasury, and that accordingly all money that is paid into a treasury should pass through the public accounts.

Moreover, whenever it is necessary to remove money belonging to a minor's estate from the estate treasury, it must be placed in the public treasury, and not elsewhere.

It is not, however, necessary that all collections from a minor's estate should be paid into the treasury of the Collector of the district, merely because the estate may be under the Collector's management. Money which is not paid into the Collector's treasury should not pass through the public accounts.

Copy forwarded to the Comptroller General and Accountants General, and Deputy Accountants General in independent charge for information.

Ordered, that the above Proceedings be communicated to the several Departments of the Government of India for information and to all Local Governments and Administrations (except Bombay) for information and guidance.

Simla, the 31st August 1875.

No. 3046.

Read the following despatch from Her Majesty's Secretary of State, No. 433, dated the 20th August 1874.

Do	do	to	do	do	No. 103, dated the 12th March 1875.
Do	do	from	do	do	No. 380, dated the 15th July 1875.

RESOLUTION.—A question having been raised as to how the pay of Civil and Military Officers, employed in Mysore, Berars, &c., which is chargeable to other than the general revenues of India, should be debited when, at the expiration of two years' leave, those officers receive only subsistence allowance and English furlough pay respectively, it has been decided by Her Majesty's Secretary of State, in accordance with the recommendation of the Government of India, that these allowances shall be treated in the Home Accounts as final charges against the revenues of British India.

ORDER.—Ordered, that the foregoing Resolution be forwarded for information to the Foreign Department, the Chief Commissioner of Mysore, the Resident at Hyderabad, and the Comptroller General.

J. A. BOURDILLON,
Offg. Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Inda.

PENSIONS AND GRATUITIES.

Simla, the 10th September 1875.

No. 3227.—The Governor General in Council directs that the following proviso be added to Section 35 (a) of the Civil Pension Code:—

"Provided always that the contribution from an Uncovenanted servant shall in no case exceed two hundred and fifty rupees a month."

His Excellency in Council also directs that the following be substituted for Rule 2 under Section 35 of the same Code:—

"2. A Native of India, not a member of the Covenanted Civil Service, may resign all claims to allowances from the British Government during leave. In such case the contribution required will be twelve per cent, instead of one-fifth, and shall, in no case, exceed one hundred and thirty-six rupees a month."

R. B. CHAPMAN, Secretary to the Govt. of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Simla, the 9th August 1875.

No. 352.—The fellowing Engineer Apprentices are transferred from Bengal to the Provinces specified against their names:—

Mr. R. L. Campbell. Mr. F. J. McLaughlin.

Mysore.

C. H. DICKENS, Colonel, R. A., Secretary to the Govt. of India.